IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE WESTERN DISTRICT OF WISCONSIN

JOSE SOTO,

Plaintiff,

ORDER

v.

NANCY WHITE, et al

Case No. 17-cv-551-jdp Appeal No. 19-3135

Defendants.

On March 4, 2020, the court assessed plaintiff Jose Soto an initial partial payment of \$16.51 of the appeal filing fee due by March 26, 2020. Now plaintiff has submitted a motion for an order requiring disbursement of \$16.51 from plaintiff's release account to make the initial partial payment of the filing fee.

Pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 1915(b)(1), prison officials are required to use a prisoner's release account to satisfy an initial partial payment if no other funds are available. *Carter v. Bennett*, 399 F. Supp. 2d 936, 936-37 (W.D. Wis. 2005).

ORDER

IT IS ORDERED that prison officials are directed to disburse \$16.51 from plaintiff's release account for payment of the initial partial filing fee. Plaintiff's initial partial filing fee is due by April 6, 2020.

Entered this 16th day of March, 2016.

BY THE COURT:

/s/
PETER OPPENEER
Magistrate Judge